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In re: Kurt Pfitzinger et al. Application No.: 10/798,928

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CONTAINER WITH ADJUSTABLE ROTARY LOCK

Date: May 23, 2007

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an AMENDMENT in the above-identified patent application.

Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.

A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION DATED APRIL 6, 2007

Sir:

Applicants provide the present Amendment to address the issues raised in the Office Action mailed April 6, 2007 (the Action). Applicants provide the present Amendment pursuant to the rules stated in revised 37 C.F.R. 1.121 that became effective on July 30, 2003.

If any extension of time for the accompanying response or submission is required, Applicant requests that this be considered a petition therefore. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fee, which may be required, or credit any refund, to our Deposit Account No. 50-0220.

Amendments to the claims are included in the Listing of the Claims, which begins on Page 2 below.

Remarks begin on page 14 below.